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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

KRZYSZTOF MATYJASZEWSKI ET AL : EXAMINER: CHENG

SERIAL NO: 08/414,415

FILED: MARCH 31, 1995 : ART UNIT: 1505

FOR: NOVEL (CO)POLYMERS AND A NOVEL  
POLYMERIZATION PROCESS BASED ON  
ATOM (OR GROUP) TRANSFER RADICAL  
POLYMERIZATION

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action of November 14, 1996, and accompanied by a petition for a two-month extension of time and the appropriate fees, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 15, line 15, after "cycloalkyl," insert --phenyl which may optionally have from 1 to 5 substituents on the phenyl ring selected from the group consisting of C<sub>1-6</sub>-alkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>-alkenyl (preferably vinyl), C<sub>1-6</sub>-alkynyl (preferably acetylenyl), C<sub>1-6</sub>-alkoxy, halogen, nitro, carboxy, C<sub>1-6</sub>-alkoxycarbonyl, hydroxy protected with a C<sub>1-6</sub>-acyl, cyano and phenyl,--.

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